1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture North Carolina Agricultural Statistics Service



MITCHELL NORTH CAROLINA

Land in farms

Increased 9 percent from 23,007 acres in 1992 to 25,170 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 15 percent from 71 acres in 1992 to 82 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 16 percent from 109 farms in 1992 to 92 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

Increased 20 percent to \$3,792,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 80 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 20 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 26 percent from \$9,805 in 1992 to \$12,394 in 1997.



